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Dear Sir:

The Applicant agrees with the Examiner's Amendment of Claim 33, particularly removing the redundant "said".

The Examiner is thanked for the phone call of September 7, 2004.

In addition, as requested by the Examiner, a new declaration directed at this case is enclosed herewith.

Should the Examiner believe that a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of this application, the undersigned can be reached at the telephone number set out below.

Respectfully submitted,
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